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Newsbrief

Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus has urged all to work together to utilize the opportunity created with the sacrifice of July martyrs aiming to build a new Bangladesh. The Chief Adviser made the call in a message issued yesterday on the occasion of 'July Martyrs' Day'. The Chief Adviser also said, the July 16, 2024 is a remarkable day in the history of the mass uprising of students, workers and commoners.

Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus has ordered the authorities concerned to appoint the head teachers to the vacant posts at the country's government primary schools as soon as possible. The Chief Adviser gave this order at a meeting held at the State Guest House Jamuna in Dhaka the day before yesterday, Chief Adviser's Deputy Press Secretary Abul Kalam Azad Majumder told this to newsmen yesterday.

Newly appointed World Bank Vice President for South Asia Johannes Zutt has expressed strong support for Bangladesh's inclusive growth and appreciated Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus for the Interim Government's reform agenda in the economic sector. The Vice President said this when he accompanied by World Bank's new Division Director for Bangladesh and Bhutan Jean Pesme, called on Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus at the State Guest House Jamuna the day before yesterday. The Chief Adviser thanked him for his support and appreciation.

Finance Adviser said that the proposal on constructing the 'July Mass Uprising Memorial Museum' was approved in principle while the construction work of it has already started. The Adviser also said that the government has decided to review all the agreements on the independent power plants signed during the previous regime since there were allegation of inconsistencies in those agreements. The Adviser said these after the meeting of the Advisers Council Committee on Economic Affairs held at the Cabinet Division at Bangladesh Secretariat yesterday.

Expatriates' Welfare and Overseas Employment Adviser Dr Asif Nazrul said, Malaysian government would issue multiple entry visas for the Bangladeshi workers from now on. The Adviser wrote this in a post on his verified facebook page yesterday.

Food Adviser Ali Imam Majumder said, food friendly programme will begin from August and each of 55 lakh low-income families will get 30kgs rice every month at Tk 15 per kg. The programme will continue for six months this year instead of five months last year. The Adviser said this while talking to journalists after a meeting of food policy and monitoring committee held at the Cabinet Division in the Secretariat yesterday.

Environment, Forest and Climate Change Adviser Syeda Rizwana Hasan said, the implementation of the Teesta Master Plan project will begin in 2026. The Adviser told this to reporters yesterday after visiting the Teesta river erosion-affected areas in Panjarbhanga area of Kawnia upazila of Rangpur. Later, while talking to journalists in Rangpur Sadar, the Adviser said that an initiative has been taken to dredge 10 kilometers of Shyamasundari Canal in this city to restore and increase water flow.

A delegation comprising representatives from Kristi, Bangladesh Society for the Change and Advocacy Nexus, Sights avers and Visually Impaired People's Society met with Education Ministry Adviser Dr Chowdhury Rafiqul Abrar at his office in the Secretariat yesterday. During the meeting, the delegation presented several proposals to ensure a quality integrated education system for students with disabilities. The Education Adviser assured that their proposals would be considered accordingly.





Religious Affairs Adviser Dr AFM Khalid Hossain said that congenial atmosphere and beautiful learning environment could be brought back to the education system if we can make the campus free from criminalization. The Adviser said this while addressing a reception, unveiling cover and silver jubilee of the Islamic Studies and Culture department of Chattogram University at Chattogram Press Club the day before yesterday.

Chattogram Hill Tracts Adviser Supradip Chakma said, affirmative action and mainstream integration process in the hilly areas should be expedited. The Adviser said this while addressing a discussion at Parbotto Chattogram Complex auditorium in Chattogram yesterday. The discussion was held marking the 27th founding anniversary of the Ministry.

National Consensus Commission Vice-chairman Professor Ali Riaz said that as all political parties are in agreement on the existing constitutional provision regarding the caretaker government, they have collectively decided to pursue a referendum should any future amendments to the system become necessary. He made this remark while presenting a summary of discussion with political parties at the Doel Hall of the Foreign Service Academy in the capital yesterday.

Principal Secretary to the Chief Adviser M Siraz Uddin Miah urged the youth to develop a mindset of becoming entrepreneurs to achieve self-reliance. The Principal Secretary made the remarks while addressing a discussion and prize-distribution ceremony at the Investment Building in Agargaon in Dhaka yesterday as the chief guest, marking the World Youth Skills Day.

Chief Adviser (CA) press wing yesterday stated that Chief Adviser Professor Muhammad Yunus does not intend to be declared as national reformer and the government too does not has any plan to confer any such title on him. CA press wing said this in a statement yesterday.

Mourning Day is being observed nationally today on the occasion of 'July Martyrs' Day. The Cabinet Division issued a notification in this regard yesterday.

The Election Commission (EC) has begun voter registration process and National Identity Card issuance for Bangladeshi expatriates in the United States, Oman, Maldives, Jordan and South Africa, following the approval from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. A S M Humayun Kabir, Director General of the EC's National Identity Registration Division, confirmed the matter yesterday.

Bangladesh Standards and Testing Institution (BSTI), the national standards development and control organisation of Bangladesh, inked a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Russian standards organisation Federal Agency on Technical Regulation and Metrology (GOST R). BSTI Director General SM Ferdous Alam and Gostr CEO Anton Shalaev inked the MoU on behalf of their respective sides at a function at the BSTI head office in the capital yesterday.

The Police Headquarters in a statement yesterday said that recent incidents of attacks and murders involving religious minorities were not communal in nature; rather most of these incidents occurred due to personal, financial, family feuds and general crimes.



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